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OIL and GAS NEWS

Gypsy Oil company in 28-2-3 is reported at 1580 feet.

McInclair Oil company No. 21 Westlimer in section 31-3-3 is spudding.

Elmer Evans et al No. 2 in section 22-4-3 are drilling at about 750 feet.

The 31 Oil company has a rig up for well No. 6 Woodruff in section 31-3-3.

Phillips & Franklin are drilling at 400 feet in well No. 1 Daugherty in section 29-2-3.

Roy Johnson on Ringling No. 1 in section 19-3-4 is shut down at 1950 feet awaiting casing.

Kewanee Oil company has shut down well No. 19 on the Keck lease in 5-4-3 at 1187 feet.

Carter Oil company has made location for wells No. 31 and 32 on the H. Z. Ward lease in section 6-4-3.

F. B. Roberts, scout for the Carter Oil company was an Ardmore visitor yesterday. Mr. Roberts makes his headquarters in the field.

McMan-Savoy Oil companies in section 20-2-3 have recovered tools and are now drilling at a depth of about 700 feet.

Humble-Gypsy Oil companies No. 11 Koskie in section 32-3-3 is drilling at about 1040 feet and a rig is up for No. 12, same lease.

J. H. Jenkins of the Mid-Co Petroleum company is here on his second visit recently, and will remain several days in the Healdton field.

Scivally Petroleum company has completed well No. 5 Collins in section 15-4-3 at a depth of 1110 feet. The well has a production of 100 barrels.

Roxana Petroleum company has rigs up for wells No. 23, 24 and 26 on the Franklin lease in section 8-4-3. Location has been made for well No. 27.

Looks Like Active Drilling.

Magnolia Petroleum company has made location for wells No. 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 and 35 J. A. Samley in section 10-4-3.

Geneva Pearl Oil company has completed well No. 5 Lowery in section 4-4-3 at a depth of 885 feet. The well has a production of 30 barrels.

A Small Well.

Gates Oil company No. 20 Rayson Wesley in section 10-4-3 has been completed at a depth of 1182 feet. The well has a production of 20 barrels.

Jennings Has New Well.

Jennings Petroleum company has completed well No. 3 on the Roy Johnson lease in section 15-4-3 at a depth of 1245 feet. The well has a production of 75 barrels.

Magnolia Petroleum company on the Emmet Chase farm in section 21-3-3 is reported to be drilling in blue shale at a depth of 1500 feet. This well went out of the red beds at about 1350 feet.

Interest at Roff.

S. A. Apple left here yesterday morning for Roff, where he and other parties from Shreveport and Fort Worth are making preparations to do some wildcat drilling.

Hamon & Colcord have completed well No. 4 on the D. O. Coffey 60 acres in section 15-4-3 at 1155 feet. The well is making 100 barrels. Same company is drilling well No. 5 at about 1117 feet, and have a rig up for well No. 6, same lease.

The Ames Well.

Geo. J. Ames on the Ramsey lease in section 6-5-1 reached a depth of 470 feet and is in a water sand. The well is shut down awaiting the arrival of an underreamer.

Made Two Completions.

Producers Oil company has completed well No. 13 James Watson in section 10-4-3 at a depth of 1190 feet. The well is making 20 barrels. Same company has completed well No. 10 Teague in 3-4-3 at 1017 feet with a production of 75 barrels.

Gunsburg-Forman has completed well No. 19 Westheimer & Daube 80 acres at a depth of 1060 feet, in section 9-4-3. This well is making 15 barrels. No. 19 on the same lease is drilling at 1125 feet. Same company has completed well No. 11 Jerry McCoy in 22-4-3 at 1137 feet, which has a production of 100 barrels.

Fort Ring Company.

The Fort Ring Oil company in 23-4-3 is drilling at a depth of 350 feet.

This well went out of the red beds at 295 feet, and went into a fresh water sand at a depth of 325 feet, where the same sand was found in the Westheimer & Daube well. These wells are running so nearly together that the owners are very hopeful that it will be in the producing area.

Roxana Petroleum Company Wesley No. 8 in section 3-4-3 is drilling at 100 feet.

Roxana Petroleum Company, Roy M. Johnson No. 12 in section 4-4-3 is drilling at 150 feet.

Producers Oil Company No. 2, Neils Esperson in 36-3-4 brought in a barrel well at a total depth of 1200 feet.

C. H. Clark, superintendent for the McMan Oil Company, is back in the field from a visit with his family at Iowa Park, Texas.

Geneva-Pearl Oil Company is building a rig for No. 6 which is located in the southeast corner of the company's twenty-acre lease in the northeast corner of 4-4-3.

Abandoned a Well.

McMan Oil Company on the Mabel Ringling farm in section 24-3-4 has abandoned its test in blue shale at 1320 feet and has ordered the well plugged. This is said to be the first set of plugs purchased by the McMan Oil company.

Completed New Well.

McMan Oil Company No. 5 Woodruff was drilled yesterday. The location is the second well north of the southeast corner of the fifty acres purchased from Woodruff and offsets the Mary Jefferson lease owned by J. L. Hamon. It is not known what the production will be, but it will test out from 700 to 1,000 barrels.

Made Two Completions.

McMan Oil Company No. 58 E. T. Richards in 31-3-3 is drilling at 1145 feet. Same company has completed well No. 6 Woodruff in 30-3-3 at 1295 feet with a production of 200 barrels. Same company has completed well No. 7 Woodruff at 1196 feet which has a production of 400 barrels.

Fox Pool Saving Casing.

The Fox Pool company in 5-2-3 has drawn and saved all of its 6-inch and all of its 8-inch casing and is now drawing the 10-inch. As soon as this well is ready to be abandoned the material will be moved to section 8 in the same township and another test drilled.

An Exaggerated Story.

The Roxana purchase from Robert Watchorn which the Ardmoreite published from another paper was somewhat overdrawn. The deal was being finally closed in Oklahoma City yesterday and it is for 1600 acres in the Otoe Indian reservation on Miller Brother's ranch and did not include any properties at Healdton or at Cushing and the price published was far in excess of what is being paid.

Will Move to Ardmore.

George F. Short, an attorney of Idabel, who represented Louisa Wesley in a case which has been given a hearing the latter part of the week in the district court has gone from here on business to Muskogee. Mr. Short is one of the bright young lawyers of the state and Ardmore people will be glad to know that he is now arranging his business to move to Ardmore the first of the year.

Louisa Wesley Suit.

The Louisa Wesley suit has been finished in the district court and Judge Freeman has taken the matter under advisement and has promised to render a decision by the middle of the week. This is a case in which Louisa Wesley, a full blood Indian woman, seeks to cancel a deed to some valuable oil lands in the Healdton field which it is alleged that she sold to W. H. Thompson.

Made Three Completions.

Twin State Oil company has completed well No. 12 on the Mullen "A" in section 4-4-3 at 992 feet. The well is good for 25 barrels. Same company has completed well No. 24 Mullen "B" in 3-4-3 at 1030 feet with a production of 30 barrels. Same company has completed well No. 7 Alrington in section 8-4-3 at 1108 feet, with a production of 75 barrels.

Walker Becomes Secretary.

A report from Oklahoma City yesterday states that Art L. Walker has accepted a position with the governor as his private secretary and will not come back to Healdton as conservation officer. So far as is known no person has been named to succeed him as conservation officer. The order of the commission prorating the oil seems to have left the matter up to the pipe lines to arrange with themselves to prorate the runs. The Producers line will have to connect with additional properties and the Magnolia line will have to disconnect

from some of its properties. Just when they will be ready to begin prorating is not known but the order presumes that it will be done on and after the first day of July.

A NEW GAS AREA

Big Gas Sand a Half a Mile Ahead of Production.

Westheimer & Daube, drilling on fee land in the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of section 15-4-3 touched a gas sand Friday evening and the production with the sand only touched is estimated at from 15,000,000 to 20,000,000 feet. Forty feet higher up a gas sand was drilled into which was reported Friday. This well is located on the east side of the southeast extension to Healdton and is one-half mile ahead of production. It seems to have developed a new and an important gas area and it is very probable that it will also result in the discovery of new and prolific oil sands. Owners on the east side, and also citizens of the town of Wilson are watching this well with great interest.

Judge Harrell and Erret Dunlap were in Oklahoma City yesterday attending to their oil taxes on restricted lands. We have stated the proposition as we understand it and if this statement is in error it will be corrected when the full facts are known. Attorneys are now being consulted with regard to the filing of suits for the recovery of the money involved. The restricting order issued by the federal court is said to be temporary and has not been made permanent.

COLLECTION OF OIL TAX.

Government is Interfering With Collection of Oil Money From Indians.

In connection with the payment of the 3 per cent. gross production tax, it is interesting to the oil fraternity to know that the Federal Court has granted an injunction against the col-

lection of this tax by the state in so far as it applies to oil produced from restricted land.

Where this tax on the production produced from restricted land has been paid under protest, it has not been turned over to the state by the State Auditor, but unless suit is filed on or before the 17th day of July, 1916, against him, he will turn the tax over to the state and it will be impossible to ever get the tax back, when it has once been turned over to the state, except through an act of the legislature.

FULL TEXT OF ORDER.

Oil Runs Will Be Prorated. Nothing Said of Steel Storage.

By the kindness of the Roxana Petroleum Company the Ardmoreite is publishing today the full text of order of the commission requiring that oil be prorated in field. In as much as the order is directed to the Magnolia and the Producers Refining Company the presumption is that it does not apply to the Ardmore Refining Company. The full text follows:

To the Magnolia Petroleum Company, Producers Refining Company: Whereas informal complaints have reached the Commission that the various pipe lines and other facilities are not taking all the oil produced in the Healdton field; that the Producers Refining Company is taking approximately 100 per cent. of the oil from the properties with which it is connected; that the Ardmore Refining Company is also taking approximately 100 per cent. of the oil from the properties with which it is connected. You and each of you are hereby notified and requested to ascertain the amount each day all the pipe lines and other marketing facilities are taking from the field; that the same be prorated and an equal amount taken from each property according to the potential production of the various wells thereon.

If there are any reasons why this request cannot be complied with, you are hereby notified to appear before the commission on the first day of July and show cause why the order heretofore issued by the commission should not be strictly enforced.

Done at Oklahoma City this 27th day of June, 1916.

CORPORATION COMMISSION

(Signed) Geo. A. Henshaw,

Commissioner.

W. D. Humphrey,

Commissioner.

Attest: (Signed) J. H. Hyde,

Secretary.

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Coline Completions.

Coline Oil company No. 11 on the Harriet Frazier in section 15-4-3 has been completed at a total depth of 1143 feet. The well is making 15 barrels. Same company has also completed well No. 13 Harriet Frazier at 1124 feet with a production of 15 barrels. Location has been made for No. 12 on the Harriet Frazier. Same company has completed well No. 17 S. Jones in 4-4-3 at 1035 feet with a production of 50 barrels.

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